

Special Correspondence of the Observer.

Washington, D. C., May 20, 1890.

The condition of the appropriation bills is such that adjournment on the 31st, the day agreed upon by the House, will be entirely practicable. The Senate will unquestionably adopt the House resolution. Senators are even more anxious than Representatives to get away.

Mr. Bayard's Deputy Marshal bill will undoubtedly pass the Senate to-day, and the House on Saturday or Monday. It will reach Mr. Hayes on Wednesday, the 26th, perhaps. He can approve it, veto it, or allow it to become a law by doing nothing with it. The bill is substantially a reproduction of that part of the immediate deficiency bill which led to a veto two weeks ago.

Gen. Gordon, U. S. Senator from Georgia, has resigned. Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, Representative from the Richmond, Va., district, some time since indicated that he would not accept a re-nomination for office. These are two Southern men who served gallantly and conspicuously in the Confederate army, and who have, as representatives of a portion of the country, given their time and influence to the business of the country. Like all Southern men, and patriotic Northern men, for that matter, these men are proud of their States, and zealous in the defense of the rights of States. I have watched their course carefully, and do not know of a vote or a word in the record of either, while in Congress, that either might wish to obliterate. They are of the best type of American citizens.

The great boat race of yesterday, between Hanlan and Courtney, was not much of a race. Hanlan had everything his own way, and the hundred thousand people who witnessed the performance came away, without exception, impressed with the idea that Courtney feigned a greater portion of the sickness given by him as a cause for his ignominious defeat. Thousands of dollars changed hands, and those who bet on Courtney are loud in their denunciations of his cowardice in giving up so easily. It is said that he was so nervous that on the night before the race he didn't sleep a wink. Much indignation is felt by Hanlan's friends at the action of Riley in pulling over the course ahead of Hanlan, and as an outcome of this feeling a race is not improbable between Hanlan and Riley on next Wednesday. Riley is not afraid of Hanlan and would make him work harder for his money than Courtney did. Hanlan's friends return home laden with "tin" as the results of their champion's success. MCKAY.

The Blue and Gray.

Nashville American.
A few days since, the colored persons who occupied the farm of Dr. Burrus, which was the situation of the west wing of the Federal army at Murfreesboro, while digging a cellar where the house stood, came across the remains of a number of bodies of soldiers. The Superintendent of the cemetery investigated the matter, and found it to be a trench in which eleven bodies were found, and from the buttons and remnants of uniforms, it was discovered that some of the bodies were Confederate soldiers and some Federal soldiers. The bodies were removed and all buried in the National Cemetery, and a headstone put up on it inscribed: "This grave contains the remains of eleven unknown soldiers." This fact shows the closeness of the conflicting parties at that part of the field, in the memorable battle of Murfreesboro.

Foreign Markets.

WHEAT.
Nashville, firm, 1.00 @ 1.15
St. Louis, unsettled, 1.11 @ 1.13
Louisville, dull, 1.05 @ 1.07
Chicago, irregular, 1.16
Cincinnati, firm, 1.14 @ 1.18
New York, unsettled, 1.18 @ 1.32
Milwaukee, steady, 1.06 1/2 @ 1.13
CORN—sacked.
St. Louis, dull, 37
Chicago, dull, 37
Cincinnati, quiet, 40 1/2
Louisville, quiet, 40 @ 43
Nashville, fair, 48 @ 50
BACON.
Cincinnati, quiet, 41 @ 47 1/2
Nashville, easy, 41 @ 48
St. Louis, dull, 41 @ 47 1/2
Louisville, easy, 41 @ 47 1/2

The Grant men have about secured the Republican nomination for their leader, in their usual swindling style.

The Shelbyville Gazette is pleased to copy from the OBSERVER an article which it titles "Sensible Chat," and is careless enough not to give correct credit.

Hon. Henry S. Foote, ex-Governor of Mississippi, superintendent of the United States mint at New Orleans, died near Nashville on Wednesday, 19th inst., aged 80 years.

The State Greenback Convention met in Nashville last Saturday and was composed of 60 delegates, of whom 4 were colored. It resolved in favor of repudiation.

The number of unpledged delegations that have already been elected to the Democratic National Convention, is an ample guarantee that there will be no cut and dried nomination.

Congress adjourns on the 31st of May. This early adjournment was determined on by the Republicans and the Pennsylvania democrats, in coalition for the purpose of defeating any modification of the tariff.

The Washington Post says that the Virginia State Convention of the National Greenback Labor Party was held at Salem on Monday, the 10th inst., and that it consisted of two delegates, one of whom called the other to order.

The fact that Gen. Joseph E. Johnston would be tendered a grand reception, last Thursday, caused thousands of old soldiers to visit Nashville to once more shake the hand of the old hero and join in the old rebel yell. Johnston's reception was an ovation such as has not been extended to any man since the visit of Lafayette.

The statue of Andrew Jackson was unveiled in the presence of about 50,000 people, at Nashville last Thursday. The ceremonies were taken part in by several distinguished gentlemen from other States when were Gen. Joseph E. Johnston of Virginia, ex-Gov. Hendricks of Indiana, ex-Gov. Brown of Georgia, Congressman House and Gov. Marks, of Tennessee.

It is a noticeable fact that the various Democratic State Conventions are sending their delegates to Cincinnati uninstructed. They do not go bound hand and foot, with some man's collar around their necks, like those the Republicans have sent to Chicago, but as free men to select the best candidate to carry the standard of the party through the coming struggle. When they reach Cincinnati they will compare notes and nominate the strongest man, a man that will prove acceptable to the masses of the party, and one that can win.

Stripped of all verbiage the arguments of the repudiators are reduced to six points. (1.) We borrowed the money. (2.) We borrowed the money, but the money has been unwisely expended by our agents. (3.) We cannot be compelled by law to repay the money borrowed, because the state is "sovereign" and cannot be sued. (4.) The money having been unwisely expended by our own agents, the creditors should suffer all the loss. (5.) It is equity to plunder a bloated bondholder on general principles. (6.) It is an act of charity as well as a matter of justice to pluck a capitalist, who has no more common sense than to loan money on such thin security as the honor and good faith of the people of Tennessee. (6.) If we did not plunder this foolish capitalist, somebody else would plunder him.

We have been asked who we favor for president. Like all true Democrats we will lay aside all personal preferences and support the nominee cheerfully, it matters not whether he be Seymour, Tilden, or any one of the probable candidates. With the strong organized opposition to the Sage of Gramercy Park in New York it is impossible for him to harmonize the party in that State, and it is folly that mounts to the sublime to entertain the idea of a candidate being nominated without the solid vote of the New York party. For Mr. Tilden as a statesman we entertain the most profound respect, but we would regret his nomination because he is not available. As Mr. Seymour can still the troubled waters of the New York Democratic party, and carry the State by an overwhelming majority, and is a statesman of the highest order, we would rejoice at his nomination. With him as the standard bearer it would be an aggressive, instead of defensive, fight.

A Day at the Centennial.

From the Centennial's Centennial Cor.

To see the mass of people that crowd the streets of Nashville, see the trains coming in every few minutes with the coaches packed, and hear the rumble of all kinds of vehicles rolling into the city, one would think everybody in Tennessee, almost, had visited the Centennial. This, however, is not the case, for there are many living within a few hours' ride of the city, whose business will not permit them to leave, therefore we have concluded to give a short sketch of what one would see in a one day's visit to the Centennial.

As soon as the doors are opened, at 10 a. m., the crowd begins to pour in and continues until 10 p. m. We go in with the crowd. The first that attracts our attention is the fountain in the center, the main spout of which throws a jet of water about 75 feet in the air, while eight smaller ones form a circle around it, each throwing a jet about 25 or 30 feet high; in the basin beneath are three alligators—one very large, 40 years old—and two young sea lions. They are all trained and obey promptly the commands of their owner, Prof. Perkins. There is a tight rope performance three times a day by Prof. Leon. The next place that attracts our attention is the art gallery, where there is such a collection of fine paintings, drawings, statuary, etc., that it would take too much space for a description. Here is found the blighted portraits of the pioneers of 1780, and the efforts of the school girl of 1880. We next go to the historical department. Here are found many relics of pioneers, and curiosities found in the caves and Indian mounds of Tennessee and elsewhere, such as petrified animals, reptiles, etc., human skulls, curious shaped implements of war, and many other things brought from many parts of the globe, among which is the Egyptian mummy 3,300 years old. The relics of Gen. Jackson, however, attract more attention than anything else in the department. His carriage stands in the center of the room which was made for him in 1833 of the ship Constitution, and was constantly used by him until his death in 1845. Beneath the carriage are Jackson's armors, his hat box and other relics from the hermitage; there is also under the carriage in an old iron kettle that was brought from England in the Mayflower, December, 1620, and was brought to Nashville in 1788. We have not time to dwell longer on this department, for we were to endeavor to do it justice it would take hours.

We next go to the floor above. The arches and pillars are beautifully decorated with stars and stripes and the banners of each State in the Union. Around the upper part of the rotunda are four large pictures; the dimensions are about 12x16 feet. They were painted by a Nashville artist, and represent severally the landing of the pioneers at the present site of Nashville; the arrival of the first steamboat, Jackson, that came to Nashville; the burning of the Nashville mill; and court-house, and the Vanderbilt University and grounds.

We next go to the machinery. About one-fourth of the ground floor is covered with various kinds of machines, all in motion, and are run by a large engine. The engine was built in Nashville and is a fine piece of work. Among the pieces of machinery deserving mention is Knowl's steam pump. It is this pump that furnishes the fountain with water. There are many other machines that attract attention, but we cannot stop to examine them now. The most beautiful part of the building is the horticultural gardens. At night when the electrical wires are throwing out a flood of light "as bright as sunshine yet as soft as moonlight," it makes one feel as if he were in the enchanted garden. The gorgeous display of flowers on all sides will entertain the lovers of the beauties of nature for hours. We will now take a seat beneath the boughs of the great magnolia tree for a rest, and will visit the other departments of interest at another time. Suffice to say these exhibitions are certainly the best that has ever been presented to the people of the South.

Among the drawings of fine buildings at the Centennial, we notice a diagram of the residence of Col. J. D. Tillman, of Fayetteville. It will be a handsome edifice and a great addition to the city of Fayetteville.

The Fisk University bell, presented by the Jubilee Singers and Fisk, which is now at the exposition building, weighs 2,036 pounds. CORRESPONDENT.

The tone of the Republican State Convention of Georgia may be guessed at by the remark of one Mr. Pledger, a colored man, who was chosen as chairman of the State committee. He said that his people did not want honor, but money, post-offices, custom houses and collectorships. "Give the colored man sugar," he said, "and you will satisfy him."

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What They Favor.

[Pulaski Herald.]

To judge from the tone of the low-tax press throughout the State the platform on which that crowd propose to stand is about this: "We are willing to pay all we honestly owe, but we will set down promptly on any man that will say we owe a cent."

Gratifying to Peace Lovers.

[Gallatin Examiner.]

It will probably be gratifying to the lovers of peace to know that Hon. R. E. Thompson, leader of the low tax party of Wilson county and a candidate for Governor on that ticket, was fined three dollars and costs for disturbing the State credit Democratic meeting at Lebanon recently.

The Democracy to the Rescue.

[Southern Standard.]

No other than the Democratic party of the United States has the power to arrest the dangerous and downward tendencies of the times and restore the administration of public affairs to the patriotic standard of those who established the Republic. Nor can this be done without an earnest and zealous effort by a united democracy.

Who They Are.

[Nashville American.]

It will not be denied that the intelligence of the State, the moral worth, the men who are generally looked to as capable and competent to give advice, the men who are trusted in all the affairs of life are for the preservation of the credit and for the payment of the debts of the State. On the other hand, it cannot be denied that, almost without exception, the leaders on the other side have been failures in every walk of life.

That's So.

Murfreesboro News.

We can see no good reason why the State debt question should be lugged into the Congressional canvass, and it will only be done by those office-seekers who, courting popular favor on a local matter, will endeavor to ride into Congress by appealing to local prejudices. Already candidates are announced for Congress whose chief recommendation is that they have floated upon what they believe to be the current of popular opinion.

Convict's Views.

[Nashville American.]

One of the employees at the penitentiary overheard a convict, the other day, talking to a few select companions and discussing an editorial in the American on the State debt. After giving them the benefit of his views on the situation he said: "Gentlemen, I am glad that I am not a Tennesseean; and, if I were not temporarily engaged here in such a way that it is out of my power to leave at once, I'll be if I'd stay ten minutes in a State that won't pay its honest debts."

Will Have to Squelch 'Em.

[Memphis Appeal.]

The platform of the national democracy in 1876 emphatically denounced repudiation in any form. The platform at Cincinnati next June will also emphatically denounce all forms of repudiation. The Democratic party of the nation must steer clear of repudiation or it can never hope to secure possession of the government. From a party point of view, the democrats of Tennessee will be forced to squelch the repudiating faction in their ranks, or there will be no party future, but a disgraceful defeat.

Able to Pay.

[Morristown Gazette.]

It cannot be truthfully maintained that the people are unable to pay something. If, then, they refuse to pay anything, the refusal must be charged to their dishonesty. Democrats will be slow to admit that the majority of the party are in favor of repudiation. And if they are placed in a false position as to candidates, who do not represent the debt paying sentiment of the party, they will assert their independence by defeating those candidates. No citizen who has at heart the best interests of Tennessee can afford to vote for any candidate for governor or for the legislature, who is not aggressively honest. In this case the party label signifies nothing. There is a question of honesty or dishonesty to be decided on its merits. The issue is plain and must be met squarely.

Women never think!

If the crabbled old bachelor who uttered this sentiment could but witness the intense thought, deep study and thorough investigation of women in determining the best medicines to keep their families well, and would note their sagacity and wisdom in selecting the best and best-demonstrated by keeping their families in perpetual health, at a mere nominal expense, he would be forced to acknowledge that such sentiment are baseless and false.

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Blanche.

Ed. OBSERVER.—We acknowledge a recent visit from the local editor, R. M. Wallace. An early qualification for the great struggle of life is very commendable. Brains are the leverage and money the fulcrum, and the young man who has the lever will surely succeed in getting a chunk of sufficient proportion under the edge of society to make the world know that somebody is shaking it. Mr. W. has both.

Mr. R. M. Rawls accompanied Mr. Wallace, and notwithstanding he used to be as common in this market as rancid butter in July, we were glad to see him also. However, Rob. always, after dusting himself, seeks a latitude just North of this place. Blanche swarmed the 18th inst. and went to Nashville. Capt. Griffiths was among the rest, and went to see Gen. Joe Johnson, who, the captain says, was a particular companion of his—the general riding a fine horse all the time and Tom walking.

The military parade at Nashville awakened this in Dr. Freeman: On one occasion he was sent as courier by Gen. Wheeler to Gen. Hindman. The weather was warm and the doctor for comfort had taken off his boots and tied them to his saddle. In this amiable condition he rushed into the presence of Gen. Hindman who, after surveying the barefooted doctor from head to foot asked, "Has Gen. Wheeler none but barefoot devils in his command?" Go back and tell him to send a man with boots on!" So it is that boots give more prominence than moccasins.

Prof. Holland is out of school and at home. His boys ask him out after dinner to hoe cotton, but he declines by saying that he must stay at the house and churn and so forth.

Business good for the time between planting and cotton blossoms. Health good despite the eating of green apples. Shoo fly! Did you ever see them so numerous and destitute of manners? Into the milk and the soap and the baby's eyes! These are enough. Don't send the locust nor the lice, especially the last, and every body may pass out from Egypt to Canaan that wants to.

Will not the young men of the OBSERVER office worship with us the 5th Sunday?

Take out the Republicans who will not vote for Grant if he is nominated, and it will leave a hole in the party big enough to sling the State of Texas through without touching the edges.—Cincinnati Commercial (Rep.)

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Conventions.

Tennessee Democratic State Convention, to appoint delegates to the Cincinnati Convention and select Presidential Electors, Tuesday, June 8.

Tennessee Democratic State Convention, to nominate a candidate for Governor, Tuesday, August 10.

Republican National Convention, Chicago, Wednesday, June 8.

Greenback National Convention, Chicago, Wednesday, June 9.

Democratic National Convention, Cincinnati, Tuesday, June 22.

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